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**Part 1:** ff. 1-612v

*Description:* - Paper - 302 x 205 mm

*Country:* Italy

*Region:*

*Assigned Date:* s. XVI<sup>2</sup>

*Dated by scribe:* No

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*Script:* Humanistic

*Artist(s):* Giacomo Franco?

*Figurative Decoration:* 15 half-page framed pen and ink drawings with characters labeled by name in Italian.

*Notes:* Giacomo Franco's dates: 1550-1620. Latin

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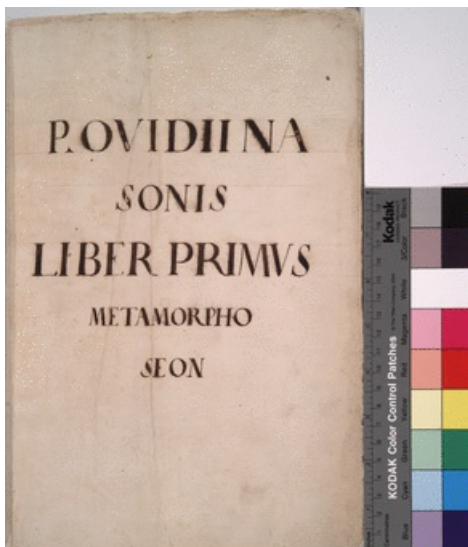
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*Author:* Ovid

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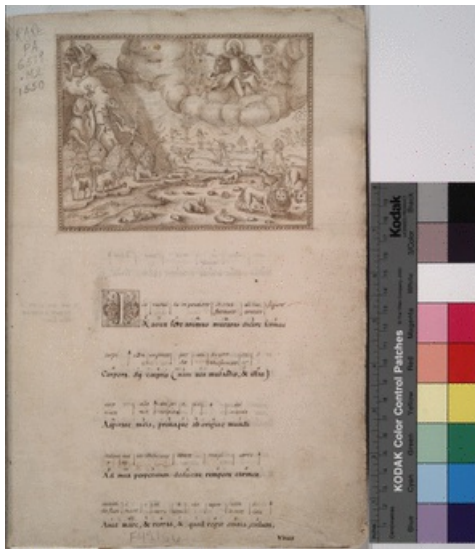
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*f. 1r* Title for Bk. 1 in square capitals.

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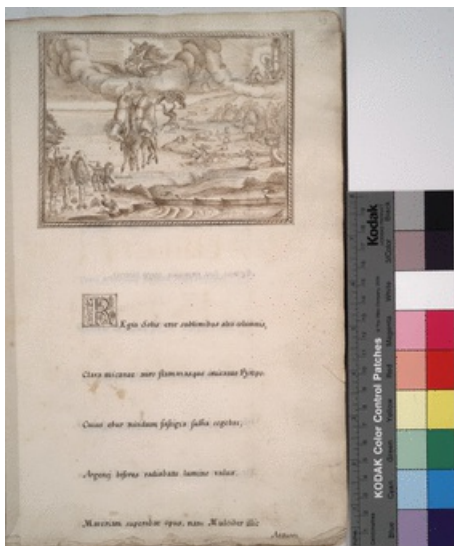
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f. 2r Bk 1: Creation by God the Father, with all the animals, including an elephant; Jupiter hurling the giant under Sicily; Deucalion and Pyrrha; Apollo killing the Python; Daphne and Apollo; Io, Argus and Mercury.

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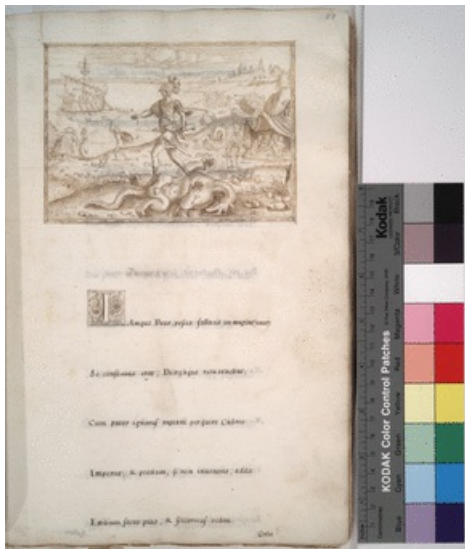
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f. 43r Bk 2: Phaethon beseeching Apollo; the chariot plunging, and Jupiter; Phaethon's sisters as poplar trees and his friend, Cygnus; the bear Callisto hunted by Arcas; Coronis represented by a crow; Ocyrhoe as a mare; Battus and Mercury; rape of Europa.

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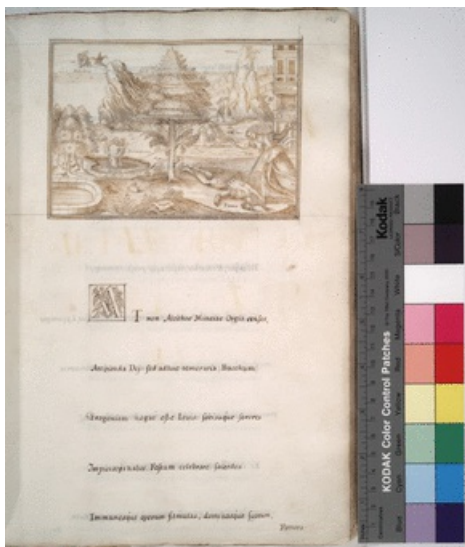
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*f. 87r* Bk 3: Cadmus sowing dragon's teeth; Diana bathing, Acteon and his dogs; Semele hated by Juno; Tiresias separating mating snakes; Narcissus; Bacchus kidnapped and sailors changed to dolphins; Bacchantes and Pentheus.

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*f. 125r* Bk 4: Pyramus and Thisbe; Leuconoe and Clytie as plants; Salmacis and Hermaphroditus entwined; the daughters of Minyas turned to bats; Ino plunging into the sea with Melicerta; Cadmus and his wife turned into snakes; Perseus changing Atlas to stone.

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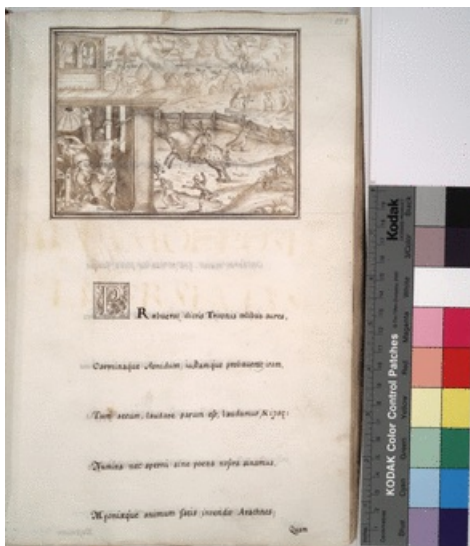
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f. 164r Bk 5: Wedding battle between Phineus and Perseus; Ceres flinging water at Stellio turning him into a newt; Cyane melting; Arethusa pursued by Alpheus; the Sirens; the lynx that was Lyncus; the Pierides as magpies.

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f. 197r Bk 6: Pallas striking Arachne, with a spider on the wall; Apollo & Diana killing the 14 offspring of Niobe; peasants turned to frogs for denying water to Latona; the flayed Marsyas as a stream; Procne & Philomela as birds fleeing Tereus; Calais & Zetes.

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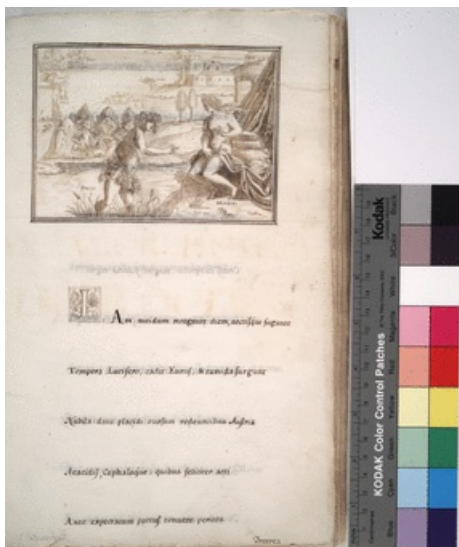
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f. 223r Bk 7: Jason with herbs of Medea overcoming bulls, soldiers, & dragon to win Golden Fleece; Medea rejuvenating Aeson; Pelias killed by his daughters; Medea in her chariot; flaming palace & Medea with her sons; Aegeus at banquet; Cephalus killing Procris.

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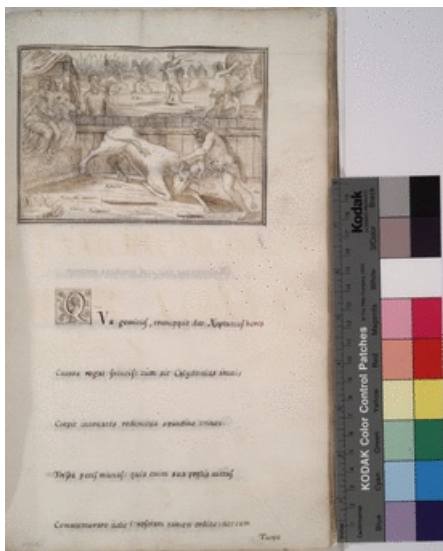
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f. 270r Bk 8: Scylla following Minos' ship as Nisus looks on; Bacchus rescuing Ariadne; Daedalus throwing Perdix off tower; Meleager dying as his sisters turn into guinea hens; the nymphs Echinades as islands; Baucis and Philemon as trees.

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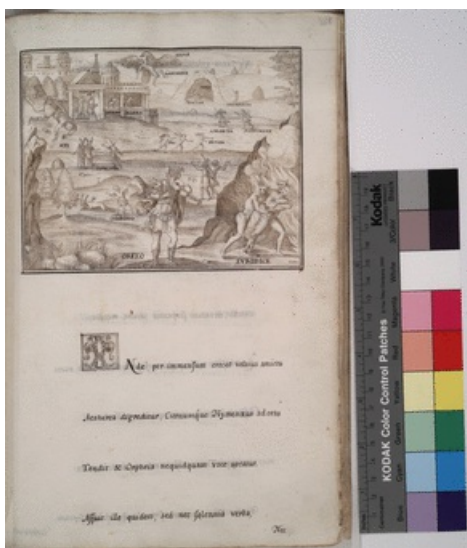
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f. 316r Bk 9: Hercules fighting Achelous in the form of a bull for the hand of Deianeira, daughter of Oeneus; Hercules killing the hydra, wrestling with Antaeus, allowing Atlas to place the weight of the heavens on his shoulders.

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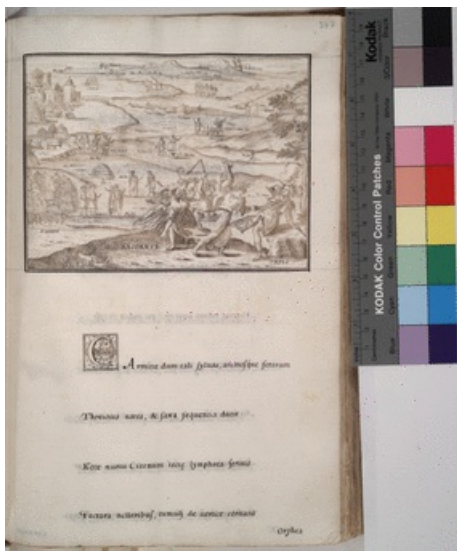


f. 358r Bk 10: Orpheus & Eurydice; Cyparissus & his stag; Jupiter as an eagle & Ganymede; the murderous Cypriots punished with horns; the Propoetides; Pygmalion & his statue; Cinyras & Myrrha; Venus & Adonis; Atalanta & Hippomenes; Proserpina & Menthe.

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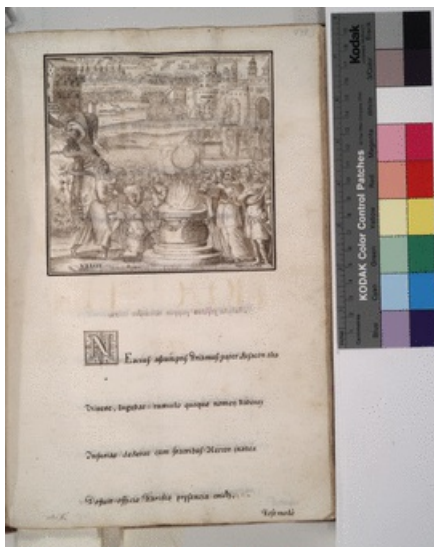




*f. 397r* Bk 11: Orpheus killed by Ciconian women; Bacchus & Midas, & his golden gift, & preferring Pan's music to Apollo's; Neptune & Apollo by Troy; Hector & Hesione; Peleus & Thetis; Daedalion as hawk; wolf in Peleus' herd; Ceyx & Alcyone; Aesacus as diving bird.

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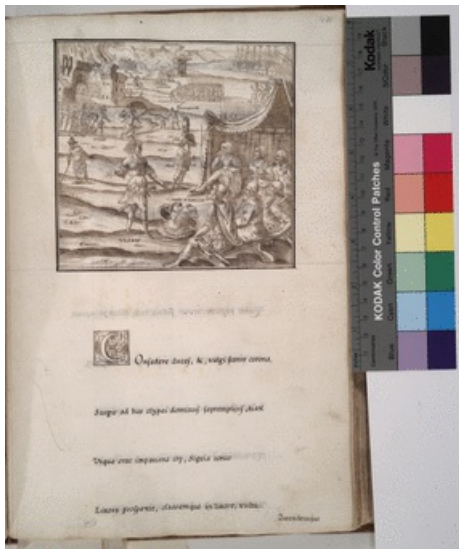
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*f. 438r* Bk 12: Omen of snake eating birds; Ulysses, Achilles, Menelaus and other at sacrifice; sacrifice of Iphigenia; house of Rumor; Achilles & Cygnus; battle of the Lapithae and the Centaurs; Ajax & Hector.

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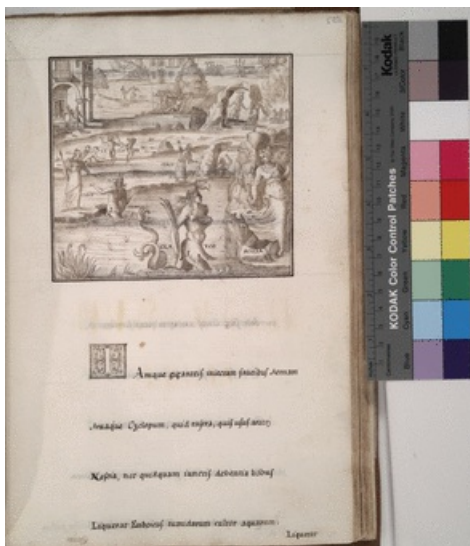
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f. 471r Bk 13: Council to decide winner of Achilles' arms; suicide of Ajax; Trojan women prisoners; Astyanax killed; Polymestor killing Polydorus; ghost of Achilles; sacrifice of Polyxena; Aeneas, Anchises & Ascanius; Anius' daughters; Polyphemus; Galatea & Acis

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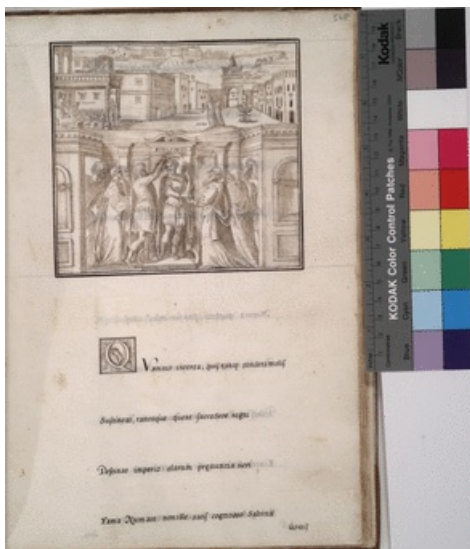


f. 522r Bk 14: Glaucus & Scylla; Glaucus & Circe; Circe turning Scylla into dog-like being; Cercropians; Sibyl leading Aeneas to Anchises's shade; Ulysses & Polyphemus; Circe & Picus; Caieta; a shepherd turned into a tree; Vertumnus & Pomona; Iphis & Anaxarete.

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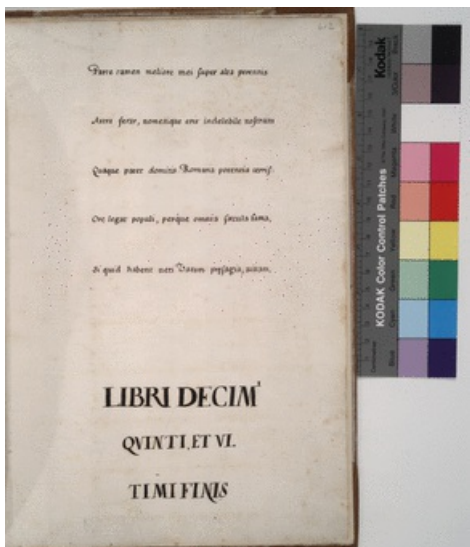




f. 568r Bk 15: Numa Pompilius; city of Crotona; Pythagoras teaching; Hippolytus brought back to life by Aesculapius; Egeria as a fountain; Cipus outside of Rome; Roman ambassadors asking for Aesculapius; Aesculapius as a huge snake leaving his shrine in Greece.

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